



**HAMRE, SCHUMANN,  
MUELLER & LARSON, P.C.**  
AN INTERNATIONAL INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW FIRM

FAX TRANSMISSION

March 1, 2006

TO: Mail Stop: AMENDMENT

FROM: Curtis B. Hamre

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTERCommissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

OUR REF: 12109.0080US01

MAR 01 2006

TELEPHONE: (612) 455.3800

Total pages, including cover letter:

14

PTO FAX NUMBER: 571.273.8300

If all pages are NOT received, please call us at 612.455.3800 or fax us at 612.455.3801.

Title of Document: **Information Disclosure Statement, Form 1449, 1 reference**Applicant: KO et al.  
Serial No.: 10/608,756  
App. Filed: June 27, 2003  
Group Art No.: 2123

Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3478. Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers, if appropriate.

By:

Curtis B. Hamre

Name: Curtis B. Hamre

Reg. No.: 29,165

I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown below.

Ralfon Wilhelm

Signature

March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2006

Date

225 SOUTH SIXTH STREET · SUITE 2650 · MINNEAPOLIS · MN 55402  
TEL 612.455.3800 · FAX 612.455.3801  
WWW.HSML.COM · MAIL@HSML.COM

S/N 10/608,756

PATENTIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICERECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER  
MAR 01 2006

Applicant: KO et al.

Examiner: Unknown


Serial No.: 10/608,756

Group Art Unit: 2123

Filed: June 27, 2003

Docket: 12109.0080US01

Title: IMMEDIATE BUCKLING MODEL, HYSTERESIS MODEL, AND  
CLOTH SIMULATION METHOD BASED ON THE INVENTED  
MODELS, AND COMPUTER-READABLE MEDIA STORING A  
PROGRAM WHICH EXECUTES THE INVENTED SIMULATION  
METHOD

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.6(d): I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile to the  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 1, 2006.  
By:   
Name: Ralynn Wilhelm

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT(37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c))

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

This statement should be considered because it is submitted before the mailing date of a first Office Action on-the-merits. Accordingly, no fee is due for consideration of the items listed on the enclosed Form 1449.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2), a copy of each foreign document or other information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 is provided.

No representation is made that a reference is "prior art" within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 and 103 and Applicants reserve the right, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 or otherwise, to establish that the reference(s) are not "prior art." Moreover, Applicants do not represent that a reference has been thoroughly reviewed or that any relevance of any portion of a reference is intended.

Consideration of the items listed is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. 609, it is requested that the Examiner return a copy of the attached Form 1449, marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, to the undersigned with the next official communication.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3478.

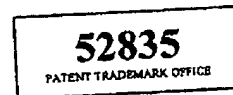
Respectfully submitted,

HAMRE, SCHUMANN, MUELLER &  
LARSON, P.C.  
P.O. Box 2902-0902  
Minneapolis, MN 55402-0902  
(612) 455-3800

Dated: MARCH 1, 2006

By: Curtis B. Hamre  
Curtis B. Hamre  
Reg. No. 29,165

CBH/rkw



Date Mailed: March 1, 2006

Sheet 1 of 1

|   |                                  |                                   |
|---|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>FORM 1449*</b><br><b>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT</b><br><br><b>IN AN APPLICATION</b><br><br>(Use several sheets if necessary) | Docket Number:<br>12109.0080US01 | Application Number:<br>10/608,756 |
|   | Applicant: KO et al              |                                   |
|   | Filing Date: June 27, 2003       | Group Art Unit: 2123              |

[illegible]

**52835**

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

|   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| EXAMINER  | DATE CONSIDERED |
| EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form for next communication to the Applicant. |                 |

\*Substitute Disclosure Statement Form (PTO-1449)

Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE